COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE NOTICE OF PURCHASED)
GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING OF) CASE NO. 8678-D
WESTERN LEWIS-RECTORVILLE)
WATER AND GAS DISTRICT)

ORDER

On March 1, 1983, the Commission issued its Order in Case No. 8678 approving certain adjustments in rates and providing under certain conditions for the further adjustment of such rates when the wholesale cost of gas is increased or decreased or a refund is received.

On August 4, 1983, Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District ("Western Lewis") notified the Commission that its wholesale cost of gas would be decreased by its supplier, Columbia LNG Corporation ("Columbia"), effective September 1, 1983, and submitted with its notice certain information in compliance with its purchased gas adjustment clause on file with this Commission.

After reviewing the record in this case and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that:

(1) Western Lewis' notice of August 4, 1983, set out certain revisions in rates which Western Lewis proposed to place into effect, said rates being designed to pass on the

wholesale decrease in price from its supplier in the amount of \$2,065 or 46.9 cents per Mcf.

- (2) Columbia has filed an application for decreased rates to become effective September 1, 1983, with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.
- (3) Western Lewis' adjustment in rates under the purchased gas adjustment provisions approved by the Commission in its Order in Case No. 8678 dated March 1, 1983, is fair, just and reasonable and in the public interest and should be effective with gas supplied on and after September 1, 1983.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the rates in the Appendix to this Order be and they hereby are authorized effective with gas supplied on and after September 1, 1983.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within 30 days of the date of this Order Western Lewis shall file with this Commission its revised tariff sheets setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17th day of August, 1983.

Chairman

Satherine Randale
Vice Chairman

Commissioner Commissioner

ATTEST:

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 8678-D DATED AUGUST 17, 1983

The following rates are prescribed for the customers served by Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District (Gas Division). All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the date of this Order.

RATES:	Monthly	
First	1,000 cu. ft. or less	\$7.89 (Minimum Bill)
Next	4,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	5.774
Next	5,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	5.724
Over	10,000 cu. ft. per 1,000 cu. ft.	5.624

The base rates for the future application of the purchased gas adjustment clause of Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District (Gas Division) shall be:

	Demand	Commodity
Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation	-	\$4.6376 per Dth
Columbia LNG Corporation	-	5.141 per Mcf
Transportation Charge	-	0.4701 per Dth